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Re: Application Serial No. <b>09/616,140</b> Attorney Docket No. <b>AUS9-2000-0257-US1</b>	
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In re application of: Coleman

Serial No.: 09/616,140

Filed: July 13, 2000

For: Apparatus and Method for  
Providing Access to a Data Stream by  
a Plurality of Users at a Same Time

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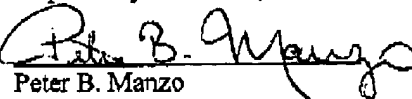
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- Response to Notice of Non-Compliant Amendment; and
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No fees are believed to be required. If, however, any fees are required, I authorize the Commissioner to charge these fees which may be required to IBM Corporation Deposit Account No. 09-0447. No extension of time is believed to be necessary. If, however, an extension of time is required, the extension is requested, and I authorize the Commissioner to charge any fees for this extension to IBM Corporation Deposit Account No. 09-0447.

Respectfully submitted,

  
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RESPONSE TO NOTICE OF NON-COMPLIANT AMENDMENTCommissioner for Patents  
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Sir:

A Notice of Non-Compliant Amendment was received by Applicant stating that "the amendment filed on February 1, 2006 is considered non-compliant because it has failed to meet the requirements of 37 CFR 1.121 or 1.4, because a complete listing of all of the claims is not present". A copy of the Notice of Non-Compliant Amendment is attached hereto.

In response to the Notice of Non-Compliant Amendment, please amend the above-identified application as follows:

Amendments to the Claims are reflected in the listing of claims which begins on page 2 of this paper.

Remarks/Arguments begin on page 7 of this paper.